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As a consumer, I have been opposed to the case brought against Microsoft from the beginning. The case has not been about what's best for consumers, but how companies that failed completely to innovate and meet consumer demands can now make money off Microsoft's absolute success.

The Proposed Settlement in this case reaches far beyond any limits that should be placed on Microsoft (and by proxy all innovative and competitive companies). Given that it's unlikely for the government to seek dismissal of the complaint and apologize to the American consumers and tax payers for wasting our money in this pursuit, I feel that I must voice my support for the Proposed Settlement as it at least limits the further harm that comes to me as a consumer.

-James Morris